Congresswoman Debbie Halvorson (IL-11) released the following statement today on yesterday's shootings at Fort Hood in Texas:

"My thoughts and prayers go out to the victims and families of those affected by yesterday's tragedy at Fort Hood. As a member of a military family I know the day-to-day struggles of our brave men and women who wear the uniform, and the families that support them. Their strength, which keeps us safe every day, will help them through this, and the victims of this horrific attack will be remembered in the deeds and actions of those they have left behind."